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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

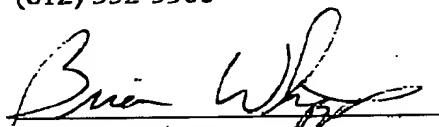
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 22, 2001, Applicant hereby elects Group I directed to claims 30-35, with traverse. Please cancel claims 36-45 without prejudice.

Respectfully submitted,

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